Parks, Recreation and

Neighborhood Services Department

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M I S S I O N

o support the livability of neighborhoods, offer opportunities for individuals to enjoy life, and strengthen communities of people

City Service Area

Neighborhood Services

Core Services

Community Strengthening Services

Provide services that enable individuals and groups to exercise power and influence over their own lives and communities

Life Enjoyment Services

Provide opportunities for City residents to play, learn, socialize, and receive supportive assistance to live healthy and enriched lifestyles

Neighborhood Livability Services

Support community residents, schools and neighborhood organizations to make their neighborhoods more livable, provide and maintain open space and neighborhood parks

Strategic Support: Budget and Fiscal Management Services, Park Planning and Development, Network and Computer Services, Marketing and Public Information, Contracting Services

Department Budget Summary

		006-2007 Actual 1	_	2007-2008 Adopted 2	2008-2009 Forecast 3	_	2008-2009 Adopted 4	% Change (2 to 4)
Dollars by Core Service								
Community Strengthening	\$	5,036,535	\$	4,690,670	\$ 4,774,077	\$	4,729,608	0.8%
Life Enjoyment Services	3	32,264,051		37,541,707	37,988,129		37,796,112	0.7%
Neighborhood Livability	1	19,685,798		22,372,685	21,924,736		15,936,992	(28.8%)
Strategic Support		7,069,799		7,168,428	7,748,152		7,663,545	6.9%
Total	\$ 6	64,056,183	\$	71,773,490	\$ 72,435,094	\$	66,126,257	(7.9%)
Dollars by Category								
Personal Services								
Salaries/Benefits	\$ 4	47,019,513	\$	53,314,701	\$ 53,341,739	\$	48,594,611	(8.9%)
Overtime		478,922		461,458	478,650		308,518	(33.1%)
Subtotal	\$ 4	47,498,435	\$	53,776,159	\$ 53,820,389	\$	48,903,129	(9.1%)
Non-Personal/Equipment	1	16,557,748		17,997,331	18,614,705		17,223,128	(4.3%)
Total	\$ 6	64,056,183	\$	71,773,490	\$ 72,435,094	\$	66,126,257	(7.9%)
Dollars by Fund								
General Fund	\$ 5	57,281,952	\$	65,046,290	\$ 65,469,684	\$	59,008,629	(9.3%)
Airport Maint & Opers		54,904		64,187	70,180		70,180	9.3%
Comm Dev Block Grant		686,903		725,241	834,892		0	(100.0%)
Healthy Neighborhoods		1,433,385		1,253,771	1,611,452		2,353,224	87.7%
Integrated Waste Mgmt		N/A		N/A	N/A		61,335	N/A
Muni Health Svcs Program		296,099		91,590	0		0	(100.0%)
SJ/SC Treatment Plant		280,635		309,998	0		0	(100.0%)
Storm Sewer Operating		N/A		N/A	N/A		184,003	N/A
Capital Funds		4,022,305		4,282,413	4,448,886		4,448,886	3.9%
Total	\$ 6	64,056,183	\$	71,773,490	\$ 72,435,094	\$	66,126,257	(7.9%)
Authorized Positions		733.20		753.27	744.19		699.18	(7.2%)

For 2008-2009, the Animal Care and Services Program was transferred to the General Services Department from the Parks, Recreation and Neighborhood Services Department. In the Parks, Recreation and Neighborhood Services Department, this program was reflected in the Neighborhood Livability Services Core Service and Strategic Support. In the General Services Department it is now reflected as its own core service.

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	All Funds (\$)	General Fund (\$)
Prior Year Budget (2007-2008):	753.27	71,773,490	65,046,290
Base Adjustments			
One-Time Prior Year Expenditures Deleted			
 Municipal Health Services Program discontinuation and shift 0.3 Accounting Technician from the Municipal Health Services Program Fund to the General Fund 		(71,004)	0
One-time funding for Northside Community Center	(7.70)	(356,705)	(356,705)
One-time Prior Year Expenditures Subtotal:	(7.70)	(427,709)	(356,705)
Technical Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities			
Salary/benefit changes and the following			
position reallocations:		1,398,753	837,542
 - 1.0 Assistant to the Director to 1.0 Recreation Superintenden - 1.0 Associate Structure/Landscape Designer to 1.0 	t		
Senior Architect/Landscape Architect			
- 2.0 Gardener to 2.0 Senior Maintenance Worker			
- 2.0 Groundsworker to 2.0 Gardener			
- 1.0 Maintenance Assistant to 1.0 Groundsworker			
- 2.0 Parks Maintenance Repair Worker I to 2.0 Parks			
Maintenance Repair Worker II			
- 2.0 Parks Maintenance Repair Worker II to 2.0 Senior			
Maintenance Worker - 1.0 Program Manager to 1.0 Parks Manager			
- 0.75 Recreation Leader PT to 0.75 Senior Office Specialist P	т		
- 0.63 Recreation Leader PT to 0.63 Senior Recreation Leader			
- 0.75 Recreation Leader to 0.75 Events Coordinator II PT			
- 2.0 Recreation Program Specialist to 2.0 Events Coordinator	II		
- 1.0 Recreation Program Specialist to 1.0 Marketing/Public			
Outreach Representative			
 1.0 Recreation Supervisor to 1.0 Marketing/Public Outreach Manager 			
- 1.0 Recreation Supervisor to 1.0 Parks Facility Supervisor			
- 1.0 Senior Analyst to 1.0 Program Manager I			
- 1.0 Senior Maintenance Worker to 1.0 Maintenance Supervis	or		
- 0.75 Senior Recreation Leader PT to 0.75 Recreation Progra			
Specialist PT			
- 0.75 Senior Recreation Leader PT to 0.75 Recreation Specia	list PT		
- 1.0 Senior Recreation Leader to 1.0 Recreation Specialist			
- 1.0 Senior Therapeutic Specialist to 1.0 Senior Therapeutic			
Treatment Specialist - 1.0 Therapeutic Rehabilitation Manager to 1.0 Therapeutic			
Services Manager			
- Convert 1.0 Community Coordinator and 0.12	(0.12)		
Recreation Leader PT to 1.0 Marketing/Public Outreach	` ,		
Representative			
- Convert 1.0 Community Coordinator to 1.0 Program Manage	r		
- Convert 1.0 Community Coordinator to 1.0 Analyst II			

Budget Reconciliation (Cont'd.)

	Positions	All Funds (\$)	General Fund (\$)
Base Adjustments (Cont'd.)			
Technical Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities Salary/benefit changes and the following position reallocations (Cont'd.):	(Cont'd.)		
 Convert 1.0 Community Services Supervisor and 0.18 Recreation Leader PT to 1.0 Program Manager Convert 1.0 Gerontology Supervisor to 1.0 Recreation Supervisor 	(0.18)		
 Convert 1.0 Maintenance Worker I to 1.0 Groundsworker Convert 1.0 Office Specialist and 0.15 Recreation Leader PT to 1.0 Senior Office Specialist 	(0.15)		
- Convert 1.13 Office Specialist PT to 1.0 Office Specialist - Convert 1.0 Parks Facility Supervisor to 1.0 Analyst II - Convert 1.0 Principal Engineering Technician to 1.0 Program Manager	(0.13)		
- Convert 0.88 Recreation Leader PT to 0.75 Cook PT	(0.13)		
 Convert 0.85 Recreation Leader PT to 0.75 Recreation Leader PT 	(0.10)		
 Convert 1.0 Recreation Leader Unbenefitted to 0.75 Recreation Leader PT Convert 1.0 Recreation Program Specialist and non-personal/equipment funding to 1.0 Training Specialist Convert 1.0 Secretary and non-personal/equipment funding to Staff Specialist 	(0.25)		
- Convert 1.0 Senior Analyst and 0.18 Recreation Leader PT to 1.0 Program Manager	(0.18)		
 Convert 0.24 Senior Recreation Leader PT and 0.75 Recreation Program Specialist PT to 1.0 Senior Recreation Leader 	0.01		
 Convert 0.4 Senior Recreation Leader Teacher PT and 0.75 Senior Recreation Leader PT to 1.0 Senior Recreation Leader 	(0.15)		
- Add 1.0 limit dated Community Coordinator and 0.5 limit-dated Volunteer Coordinator PT approved by the City Council as part of the 2007-2008 Mid-Year Budget Review for Public-Private Partnership Project	1.50		
 Add two 0.5 Cook PT and 0.5 Food Services Coordinator for Senior Nutrition Program approved by the City Council as part of the 2007-2008 Mid-Year Budget Review 	1.50	86,761	86,761
- Transfer of the Plant Landscape Maintenance from Parks, Recreation and Neighborhood Services Dept. (1.0 Maintenance Worker, 1.0 Senior Maintenance Worker and 1.0 Groundsworker)	(3.00)	(312,352)	0
- Shift funding of 11.0 limit-dated positions and assoc. non-personal/equipment funding for the Temporary Parks Maintenance Strategy to City-Wide Expenses		(1,000,000)	(1,000,000)
 Annualization of new parks facilities operations and maintenance 		151,773	151,773

Budget Reconciliation (Cont'd.)

	Positions	All Funds (\$)	General Fund (\$)
Base Adjustments (Cont'd.)			
Technical Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	(Cont'd.)		
Non-Personal/Equipment COLA	` ,	143,825	143,825
Community Development Block Grant Fund		70,495	0
Non-Personal/Equipment funding			
 Community-Based Organizations COLA 		53,369	53,369
 Senior Nutrition and Adult Daycare grant programs 		49,043	49,043
 Gas and electricity costs for Grace Community Center 		4,800	4,800
Changes in water costs		198,206	198,206
 Changes in gas and electricity costs 		159,059	159,059
 Changes in vehicle maintenance and operations costs 		85,581	95,721
Technical Adjustments Subtotal:	(1.38)	1,089,313	780,099
2008-2009 Forecast Base Budget:	744.19	72,435,094	65,469,684
		All	General
	Positions	Funds (\$)	Fund (\$)
Investment/Budget Proposals Approved			
Community Strengthening Services Neighborhood Services CSA			
- Community-Based Organizations Funding Reduction		(40,831)	(40,831)
- Parks, Recreation and Neighborhood Services		(3,638)	(3,638)
Department Non-Personal/Equipment Funding Efficiencies			
- San José After School Program		0	(112,913)
Community Strengthening Services Subtotal:	0.00	(44,469)	(157,382)
Life Enjoyment Services Neighborhood Services CSA			
- Clean Slate Program Funding Shift		(222,294)	(222,294)
- Community-Based Organizations Funding Reduction	(0.75)	(72,033)	(72,033)
- San José After School Program	,	, , o	(628,859)
- PRNS Vacant Staffing	(3.63)	(264,012)	(264,012)
- Parks, Recreation and Neighborhood Services	,	(181,183)	(181,183)
Department Non-Personal/Equipment Funding Efficiencies		, ,	, ,
- New Parks and Recreation Facilities	18.21	236,889	236,889
- Summer Work Experience Program		(237,421)	(237,421)
- Telephone Communications Cost Efficiencies		(25,000)	(25,000)
- City-Wide Sports Programs		0	0
- Northside Community Center	7.70	380,037	380,037
- Summer Aquatics Program Marketing		5,000	5,000
- Rebudget: 2008 Summer Work Experience Program		188,000	188,000
Life Enjoyment Services Subtotal:	21.53	(192,017)	(820,876)

Budget Reconciliation (Cont'd.)

	Positions	All Funds (\$)	General Fund (\$)
Investment/Budget Proposals Approved (Cont'd.)	_		
Neighborhood Livability Services Neighborhood Services CSA			
 Animal Care and Services Program Transfer to General Services Department 	(65.37)	(6,007,854)	(6,007,854)
- Anti-Graffiti and Anti-Litter Programs Funding Shifts		0	589,554
- PRNS Vacant Staffing	(4.40)	(199,378)	(199,378)
- Santa Teresa Transit Village Maintenance	(1.00)	(153,000)	(153,000)
- Parks, Recreation and Neighborhood Services		(68,410)	(68,410)
Department Non-Personal/Equipment Funding Efficiencies			
- Central Service Yard Consolidation		(24,000)	(24,000)
 Community-Based Organizations Funding Reduction 		(11,252)	(11,252)
 New Parks and Recreation Facilities 	5.23	476,150	476,150
Neighborhood Livability Services Subtotal:	(65.54)	(5,987,744)	(5,398,190)
Strategic Support			
Neighborhood Services CSA			
 Animal Care and Services Program Transfer to General Services Department 	(1.00)	(71,766)	(71,766)
 Parks, Recreation and Neighborhood Services Department Non-Personal/Equipment Funding Efficiencies 		(12,841)	(12,841)
Strategic Support Subtotal:	(1.00)	(84,607)	(84,607)
Total Investment/Budget Proposals Approved	(45.01)	(6,308,837)	(6,461,055)
2008-2009 Adopted Budget Total	699.18	66,126,257	59,008,629

Departmental Position Detail

Position	2007-2008 Adopted	2008-2009 Adopted	Change
Account Clerk I/II	3.79	3.29	(0.50)
Accounting Technician	2.00	2.00	
Administrative Assistant	1.00	1.00	_
Administrative Officer	1.00	1.00	_
Amusement Park Supervisor	1.00	1.00	_
Analyst II	22.00	24.00	2.00
Analyst II PT	0.50	0.50	
Animal Behaviorist	1.00	0.00	(1.00)
Animal Care Attendant	12.00	0.00	(12.00)
Animal Care Attendant PT	4.57	0.00	(4.57)
Animal Health Technician	5.00	0.00	(5.00)
Animal Health Technician PT	0.80	0.00	(0.80)
Animal Services Officer	14.00	0.00	(14.00)
Animal Services Operations Supervisor	2.00	0.00	(2.00)
Animal Shelter Coordinator	2.00	0.00	(2.00)
Animal Shelter Veterinarian	2.00	0.00	(2.00)
Animal Shelter Veterinarian PT	1.00	0.00	(1.00)
Assistant Director	1.00	1.00	- (1:00)
Assistant Swim Pool Manager PT	2.38	2.38	
Assistant to the Director	1.00	0.00	(1.00)
Associate Construction Inspector	1.00	1.00	(1.00)
Associate Structure/Landscape Designer	1.00	0.00	(1.00)
Athletic Stadium Groundskeeper	1.00	1.00	(1.00)
Camp Counselor PT	4.80	4.80	
Camp Maintenance Worker PT	0.20	0.20	
Camp Recreation Director PT	0.40	0.40	
Community Activity Worker	4.00	4.00	
Community Activity Worker PT	0.63	0.63	
Community Coordinator	13.00	11.00	(2.00)
Community Services Aide PT	3.90	3.90	(2.00)
Community Services Supervisor	7.00	5.00	(2.00)
Cook PT	5.69	7.44	1.75
Custodian	1.00	0.00	(1.00)
Deputy Director	5.00	4.00	(1.00)
Director, Parks, Recreation and Neighborhood Services	1.00	1.00	(1.00)
Dispatcher	6.00	0.00	(6.00)
Division Manager	2.00	2.00	(6.00)
Engineering Technician	2.00	2.00	
	7.00	7.00	-
Equipment Operator Events Coordinator II	0.00		2.00
Events Coordinator II PT		2.00	2.00 0.75
	0.00	0.75	0.75
Exhibit Builder PT Exhibit Designer/Puilder	2.02	2.02	-
Exhibit Designer/Builder Exhibit Designer/Builder	1.00	1.00	-
Family Park Manager	1.00	1.00	- 0.50
Food Services Coordinator	9.28	9.78	0.50
Gardener Specialist	28.00	28.00	- 4.00
Gerontology Specialist	14.00	15.00	1.00

Departmental Position Detail (Cont'd.)

Position	2007-2008 Adopted	2008-2009 Adopted	Change
Gerontology Specialist PT	0.75	0.75	-
Gerontology Supervisor	5.00	4.00	(1.00)
Golf Course Manager	1.00	1.00	-
Groundskeeper	7.00	7.00	_
Groundskeeper PT	0.63	0.00	(0.63)
Groundsworker	54.00	54.00	-
Heavy Equipment Operator	1.00	1.00	-
Horticulturalist	1.00	1.00	_
Instructor-Lifeguard PT	6.58	6.58	_
Kitchen Aide PT	9.13	9.13	-
Landscape Maintenance Manager	1.00	1.00	_
Lifeguard PT	12.28	12.28	-
Maintenance Assistant	34.00	35.00	1.00
Maintenance Assistant PT	26.90	24.76	(2.14)
Maintenance Supervisor	7.00	8.00	1.00
Maintenance Worker I	8.00	6.00	(2.00)
Maintenance Worker II	2.00	2.00	-
Marketing/Public Outreach Manager	0.00	1.00	1.00
Marketing/Public Outreach Representative	2.00	4.00	2.00
Office Specialist	27.00	22.00	(5.00)
Office Specialist PT	2.13	1.00	(1.13)
Open Water Lifeguard PT	2.00	2.00	-
Park Ranger	15.00	15.00	_
Park Ranger PT	8.50	8.93	0.43
Park Ranger Trainee PT	0.50	0.50	-
Parks Facility Supervisor	7.00	7.00	_
Parks Maintenance Repair Worker I	4.00	2.00	(2.00)
Parks Maintenance Repair Worker II	12.00	12.00	-
Parks Manager	6.00	7.00	1.00
Planner II	2.00	2.00	-
Principal Account Clerk	1.00	1.00	_
Principal Engineering Technician	1.00	0.00	(1.00)
Program Manager I	1.00	4.00	3.00
Puppet Theater Coordinator PT	0.75	0.75	-
Puppeteer PT	0.17	0.17	_
Recreation Leader PT	91.04	89.55	(1.49)
Recreation Program Specialist	38.00	38.00	-
Recreation Program Specialist PT	0.75	0.75	_
Recreation Specialist	2.00	3.00	1.00
Recreation Specialist PT	0.00	0.75	0.75
Recreation Superintendent	7.00	8.00	1.00
Recreation Supervisor	12.00	13.00	1.00
Regional Park Aide PT	7.29	7.29	-
Secretary	4.00	3.00	(1.00)
Senior Account Clerk	4.00	3.00	(1.00)
Senior Analyst	10.00	8.00	(2.00)
Senior Animal Services Officer	2.00	0.00	(2.00)
Senior Architect/Landscape Architect	0.00	1.00	1.00

Departmental Position Detail (Cont'd.)

Position	2007-2008 Adopted	2008-2009 Adopted	Change
Senior Dispatcher	1.00	0.00	(1.00)
Senior Engineering Technician	1.00	1.00	-
Senior Events Coordinator	1.00	1.00	-
Senior Maintenance Worker	4.00	6.00	2.00
Senior Office Specialist	9.00	9.00	-
Senior Office Specialist PT	0.00	0.75	0.75
Senior Recreation Leader	4.00	6.00	2.00
Senior Recreation Leader PT	12.01	10.15	(1.86)
Senior Recreation Leader Teacher PT	3.89	3.49	(0.40)
Senior Therapeutic Specialist	1.00	0.00	(1.00)
Senior Therapeutic Treatment Specialist	0.00	1.00	1.00
Senior Zoo Keeper	1.00	1.00	-
Staff Specialist	4.00	5.00	1.00
Structure/Landscape Designer	2.00	2.00	-
Swimming Pool Aide PT	0.66	0.66	-
Swimming Pool Manager PT	4.27	3.77	(0.50)
Therapeutic Rehabilitation Manager	1.00	0.00	(1.00)
Therapeutic Services Manager	0.00	1.00	1.00
Therapeutic Specialist	11.00	13.00	2.00
Therapeutic Supervisor	2.00	2.00	-
Training Specialist	0.00	1.00	1.00
Volunteer Coordinator PT	0.00	0.50	0.50
Youth Outreach Worker I	16.00	16.00	-
Youth Outreach Worker I PT	2.23	2.23	-
Youth Outreach Worker II	7.00	7.00	-
Youth Outreach Worker II PT	0.50	0.50	-
Youth Outreach Worker Specialist	6.00	6.00	-
Zoo Curator	1.00	1.00	-
Zoo Keeper	6.00	6.00	-
Zoo Keeper Aide PT	0.50	0.00	(0.50)
Zoo Keeper PT	0.85	0.85	
Zoo Manager	1.00	1.00	-
Total Positions	753.27	699.18	(54.09)